

**Amendments to the Specification:**

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 25, line 5, with the following rewritten paragraph:

Figure 10 is a block diagram of a cryptographic key distribution system for sending cryptographic keys from a cable headend to a display link transmitter 1010 in an embodiment according to the present invention. The display link transmitter 1010 preferably is a digital transmitter, which preferably transmits data in DVI format. In other embodiments, the display link transmitter 1010 may be an analog transmitter. Figure 10, for example, may represent a portion of a set-top box. Those skilled in the art would appreciate that set-top boxes would include other components not illustrated in FIG. 10.

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 27, line 14, with the following rewritten paragraph:

The key source 1101 preferably includes data ~~decryption~~ encryption keys 1102, which may be stored in memory, and which preferably are encrypted by a data key encryptor 1104 using encryption keys 1103, which may also be stored in memory. The encrypted data encryption keys preferably are sent to the display link receiver 1110 over a control bus 1105, which may be an I<sup>2</sup>C bus. At the display link receiver 1110, the encrypted data encryption keys are received from the control bus 1105, and preferably are decrypted by a data key decryptor 1114 using decryption keys 1115, which may be stored in memory.